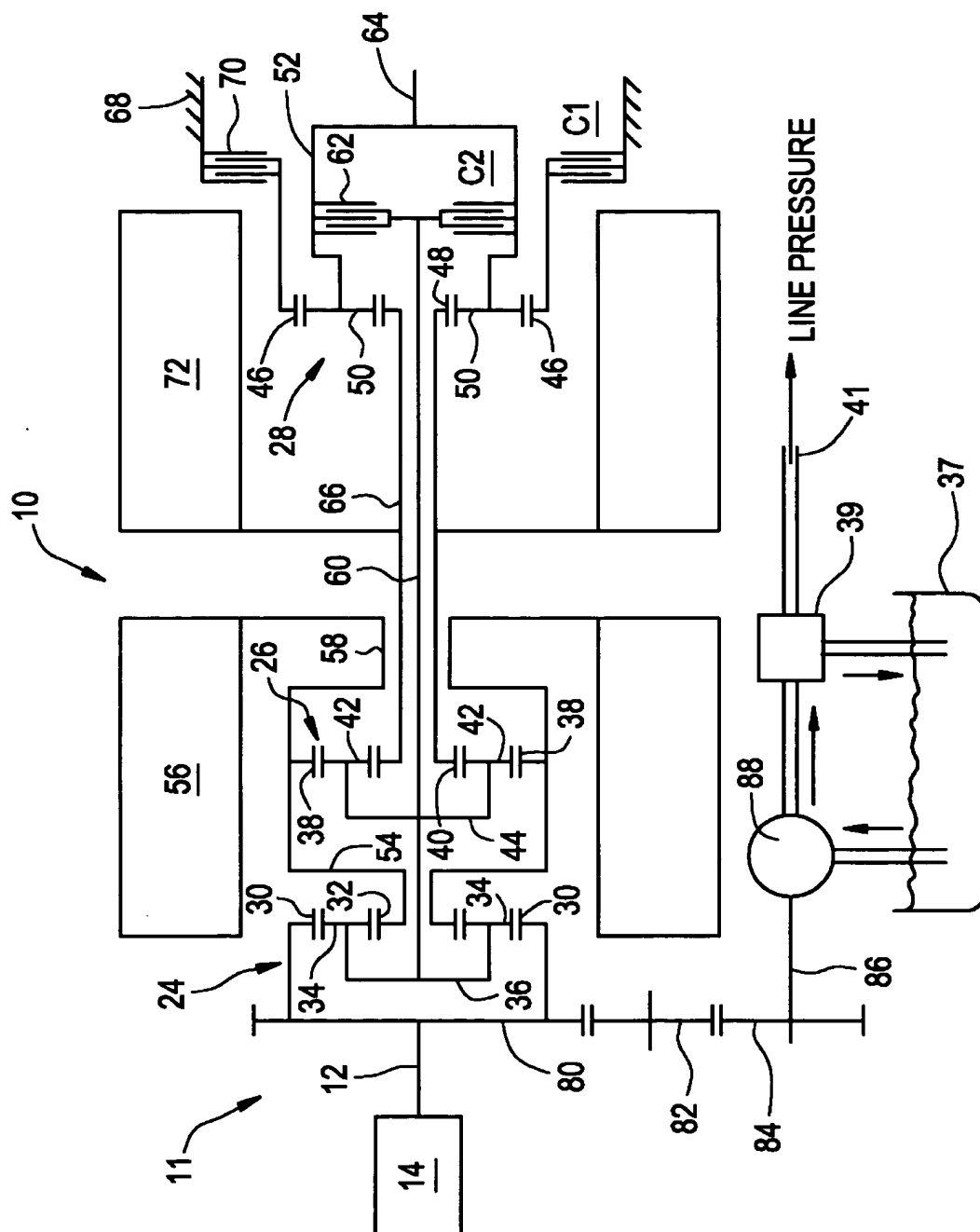


FIG. 1



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FIG. 2

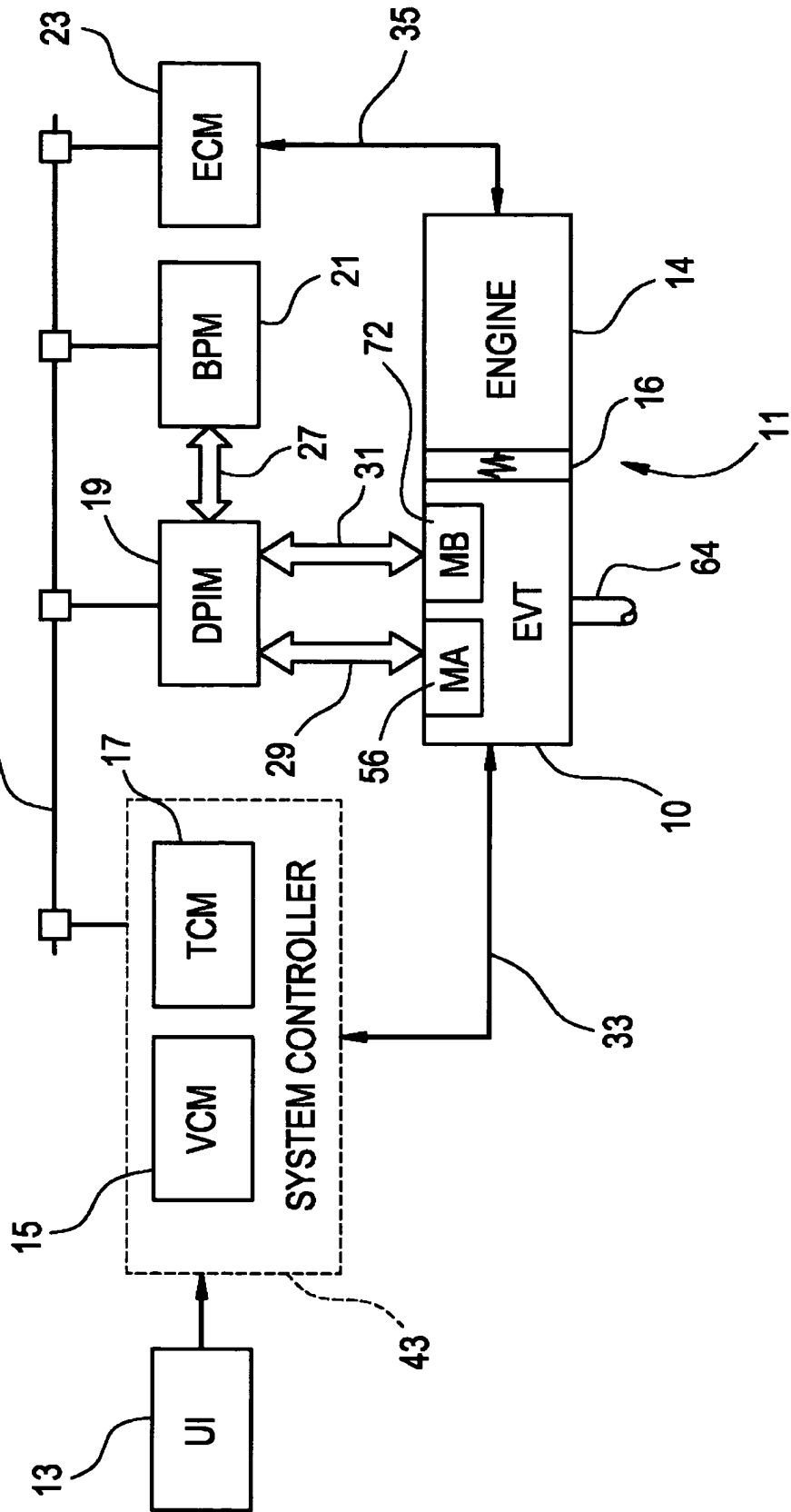
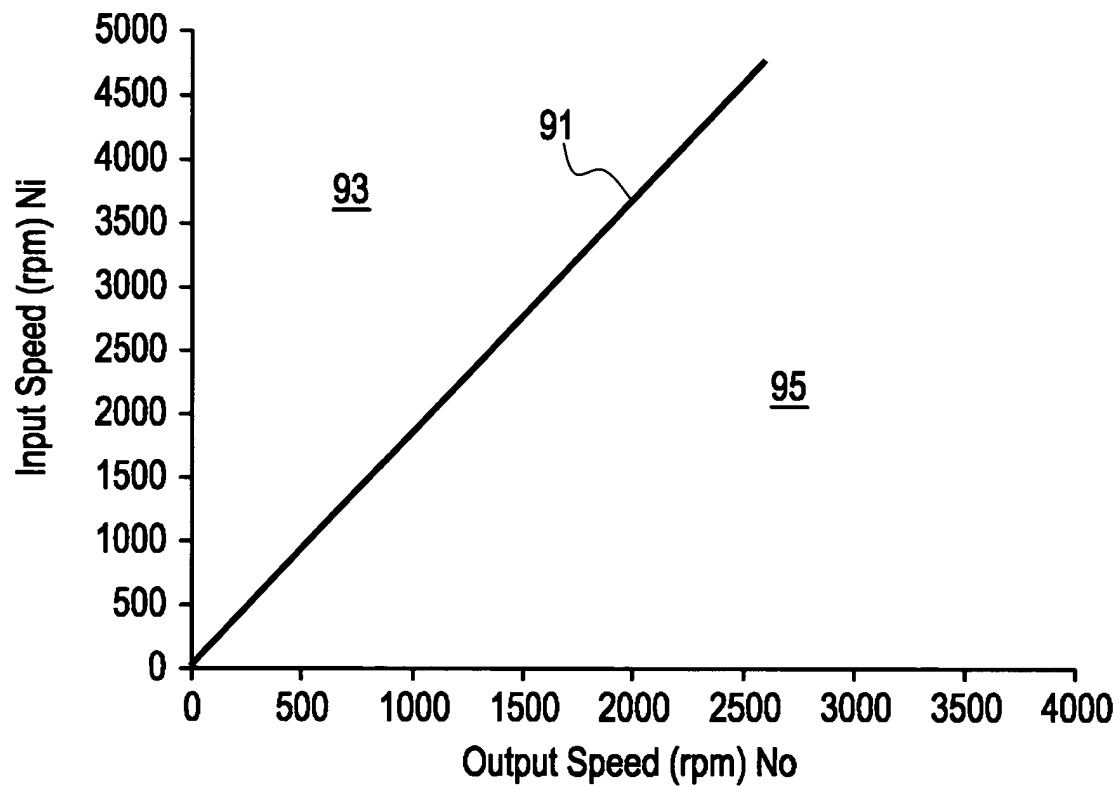


FIG. 3



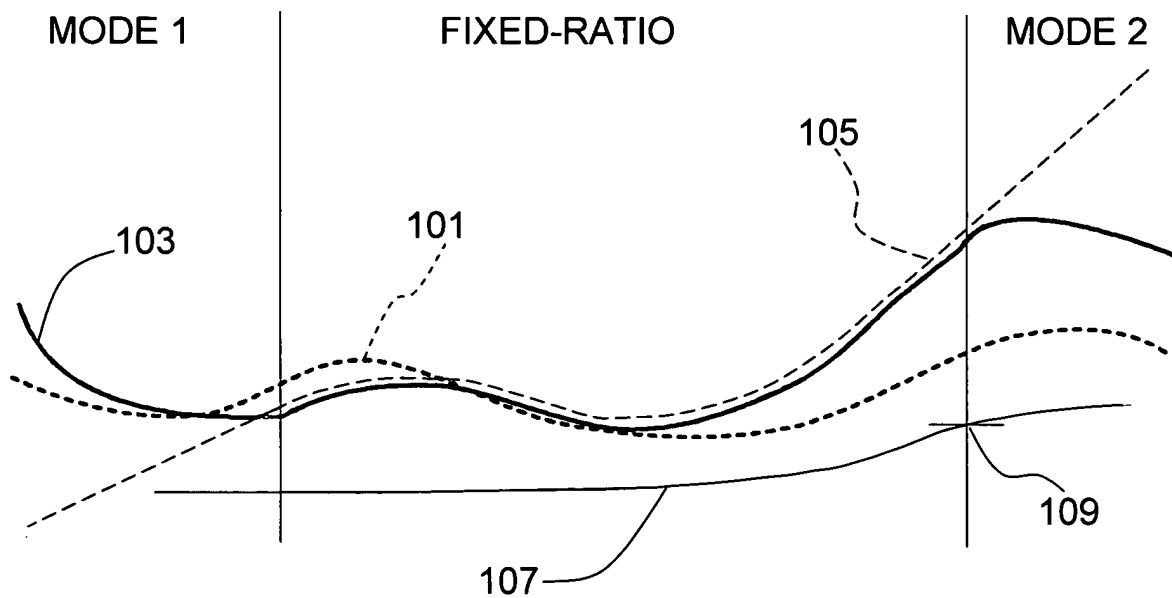


FIG. 4

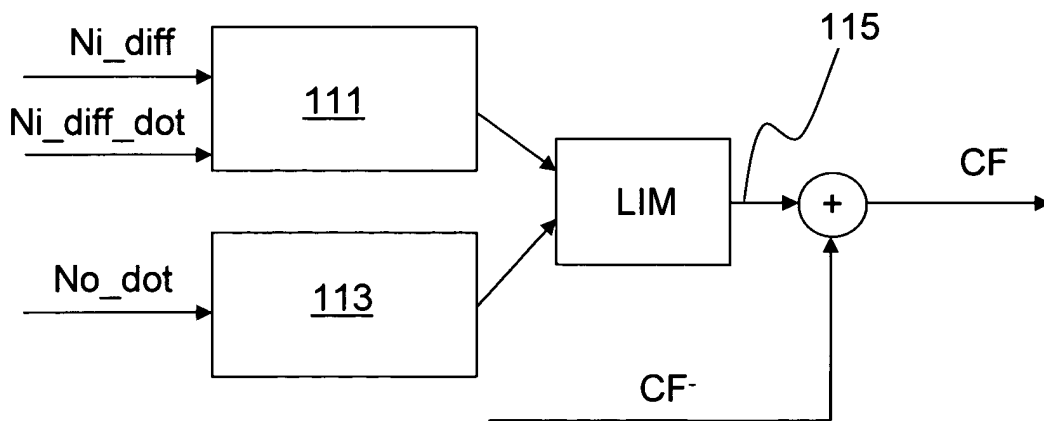


FIG. 5

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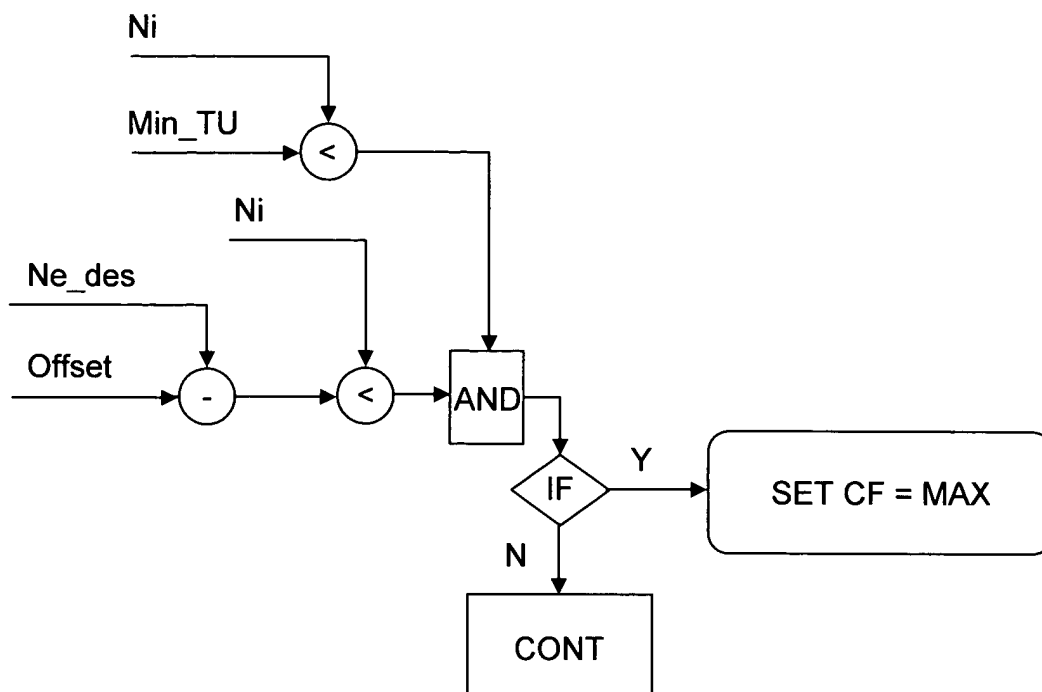


FIG. 9

		Ni_diff		
		Positive	Near Zero	Negative
Ni_diff_dot	Positive	++	+	0
	Near Zero	+	0	-
	Negative	0	-	--

FIG. 7A

		Ni_diff		
		Positive	Near Zero	Negative
Ni_diff_dot	Positive	--	-	0
	Near Zero	-	0	+
	Negative	0	+	++

FIG. 7B

